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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) TO REVIVE AN UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION

This patent application was unintentionally abandoned on July 23, 2009, for failure to reply to the Office Action mailed from the Office on January 23, 2009.

The entire delay in responding to the Office Action from the due date for the submission of the response until the filing of this grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) was unintentional.

In response to the Office Action, we submit herewith an amendment and a request for continued examination.

We hereby provide authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 07-1700 for the petition fee and any other required fees or surcharges. We respectfully request that this Petition and related papers be granted and that the Notice of Abandonment mailed from the Office on November 18, 2009, be withdrawn.

The Patent Office is invited to contact the undersigned with any questions pertaining to this Petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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